

Supplementary Figure 1 Controls for effectiveness of sensory deprivation. **A**, Upon early naris occlusion deprived bulbs showed a significant reduction in the density of BrdU⁺ cells in the granule cell layer when compared to the non-deprived bulb in the same animal (expressed as the ratio of the density of BrdU⁺ cells in the granule cell layer of the deprived bulb over the non-deprived bulb, significance was indicated by an asterisk if $p < 0.05$, $n = 4-7$ brains per time point, *t*-test). **B**, For adult rats expressing both NaChBac and PSDG (*Mpsdg:2A:nachbac*), upon naris occlusion deprived bulbs showed a significant reduction in the density of BrdU⁺ cells in the granule cell layer when compared to the non-deprived bulb in the same animal (expressed as the ratio of the density of BrdU⁺ cells in the granule cell layer of the deprived bulb over the non-deprived bulb, significance was indicated by an asterisk if $p < 0.05$, $n = 4-6$ brains per time point, *t*-test). **C**, Effectiveness of sensory deprivation after synaptic development was tested by a reduced expression of c-fos in the granule cell layer and tyrosine hydroxylase in the glomerular layer. The picture shows typical sections from both bulbs of a rat with naris occlusion ($n = 5$ brains, scale bar = 400 μm). **D**, SypG⁺ clusters were predominately found in spines of adult-born GCs at 28 d.p.i. (scale bar = 10 μm) **E**, A non-conducting pore mutant of NaChBac did not change glutamatergic input synapse development. Scatter plot and mean density of PSDG⁺ clusters (clusters/ μm) in dendritic domains of new control or a non-conducting pore mutant of NaChBac, E191K NaChBac-expressing GCs (black and red circles, respectively) born in adult at 28 d.p.i.. The different dendritic domains were (from top) distal, proximal and basal domain. No significant differences were detected (*t*-test).